

The following application is a continuation of U. S. application Serial No. 09/506,303 filed on February 17, 2000, in the name of David J. Collodi, and issued September 23, 2003 as U. S. Patent No. 6,624,812, which is a continuation of U. S. application Serial No. 09/222,036 filed on December 29, 1998, in the name of David J. Collodi, and issued May 1, 2001 as U. S. Patent No. 6,226,006, which is a continuation of U. S. application No. 08/883,786, filed on June 27, 1997 in the name of David J. Collodi, now abandoned, the disclosures of which is are hereby incorporated by reference.

Respectfully submitted,



William F. Prendergast  
Registration No. 34,699  
Attorney for Applicant

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE  
P.O. BOX 10395  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60610  
(312) 321-4200